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LOCAL & PERSONAL.

Mrs. Oldman Neuman left last Tuesday with her daughter, Mrs. R. J. Duffy, for Houston, where Mrs. Duffy lives. Mrs. Duffy spent the past three months with her mother at Quilhi in the hope of being benefited by the healthful climatic conditions of Medina County. Mrs. Neumann will remain in Houston about a fortnight.

Mrs. Frank Schroeder, Mrs. Louis Scherrer and Mrs. Irvin Isom and baby motored out from San Antonio Friday. They were accompanied home by Mrs. Theresa Hutzler who had been here for a visit with her daughter, Mrs. Ed. de Montel.

Misses Evelyn and Elizabeth Wilson are at Taft visiting their sister, Mrs. G. W. Gilliam, having returned home with Mr. and Mrs. Gilliam who were here for several days last week.

We appreciate the favor when write-ups of social, club, lodge, church, etc., affairs are handed in for publication. Help us make the Anvil Herald a newsy paper.

The Anvil Herald's phone No. is 127. Use the phone when you need job printing or advertising and you will be waited on by a representative of the paper.

NOTICE—I am now Agent for the New Model Star Windmill. No Oil-Em or Temken bearings. For latest prices see P. H. Renken, Hondo.

Mrs. P. Jungmann left Monday on the evening passenger for El Paso where she will meet her son, Frank, and return via auto.

J. J. Droitecourt was an Alamo City visitor Monday.

Orcenith Fly, the druggist, was a visitor to Uvalde Tuesday.

For Sale—A 20-acre tract, suitable for building sites, located in the southeastern part of town. Apply to this office.

CURLEE CLOTHES give lasting satisfaction. See the new Spring and Summer models at LEINWEBER'S.

August Mangold of Castroville and Gus Keller of LaCoste were here Monday on legal business.

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Emil Haby was here Monday from Castroville on business.

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Mrs. John Becker and son of Belan, New Mexico, are visiting Mrs. Becker's brother, Dr. W. H. Smith, and family.

Miss Josephine Brucks and Annie Leah and Genevieve Brucks and Lucy Davis were visitors to the Alamo City Wednesday.

Mrs. Leo. Schweers and little son, Leo, Jr., were here this week from Eagle Pass visiting Mrs. Schweers' parents, Sheriff and Mrs. Joe Bader.

Mrs. George Hodges and little son, Marshall, of Dallas, and Mrs. Robert de Montel, of Castroville, spent the week here visiting relatives and friends.

Estrayed from my pasture a bay mare mule, 15 hands high, branded T on left side of neck. Finder please ring phone 973F2 and notify owner, C. H. Hartmann. 47-2tpd.

Hondo will close up all day July 5th in celebration of July 4th which comes on Sunday. There will be a race meet and rodeo in the afternoon. See program elsewhere in this issue.

Mr. and Mrs. Louis Mann visited in Castroville Monday. Joe Haby was a visitor to Castroville Tuesday.

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Speaking. HON. WHIT DAVIDSON Will Speak at the Court House

---IN--- HONDO July 2, at 10 o'clock A. M. IN THE INTEREST

---OF--- HON. LYNCH DAVIDSON for Governor

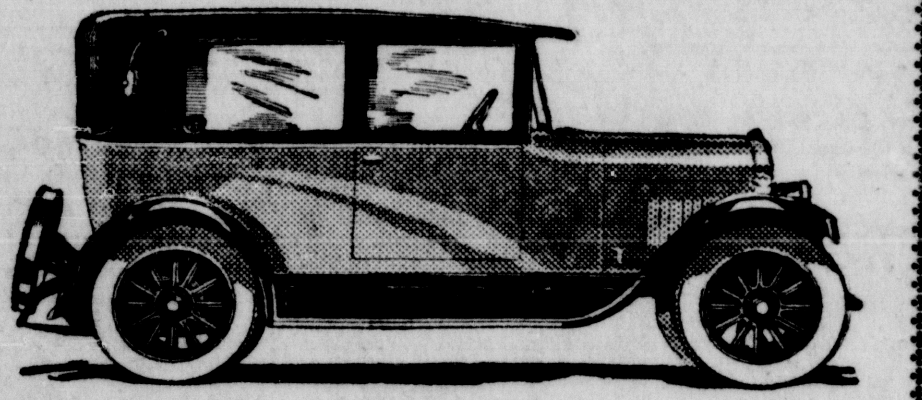
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RACES and RODEO, HONDO JULY 25th, 1926, at 2:30 P. M. Katharine Rankin owned by Gurinsky & Wilkerson, San Antonio, and Midnight owned by R. C. Bless, Hondo, will run 500 yards for a \$250 purse. Second Race. F. C. Senne's 2 year-old vs. Haby's 2 year-old. Educated Mule and Pony for the little Folks. Pete Davenport of Bandera, and Red Laidlay of San Antonio, will ride or ride at six Real Bucking Horses.



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Our Castroville Page

Local, Personal and Business Items from This Busy Burg

CASTROVILLE, TEXAS, FRIDAY, JUNE 25, 1926.

ED. HUEHNER, Local Representative

News or business matter for this page for the week's issue should be submitted to Mr. Huehner or mailed direct to us at Hondo not later than Wednesday night of each week.

Otto M. Tondre arrived in our midst last Tuesday from Washington, D. C., on a visit to home folks and friends.

Hon. Mike Schorobiny was a noted visitor in our midst Wednesday.

Mesdames E. F. Bippert, Hilda Franger and Wm. Tschirhart from the Sauz, and Mrs. George Etter of this place visited relatives and friends at Biry Thursday.

Mrs. Chas. Haby and sister, Miss Amanda Wurzbach, of Riomedina, and Messrs. Julius R. Tondre and Andrew Kempf from here left Thursday for Chicago as delegates to the Eucharistic Congress.

Martin Zuercher of San Antonio was in our midst Friday on business bound.

Messrs. Henry Henry Vonfle and Henry Steinle were San Antonio business visitors Friday.

Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Dolan of Indianapolis and children arrived in our midst Friday on a several days visit to relatives and friends.

A Mexican infant died Friday and was buried at the Mexican Cemetery Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. John B. Ahr of San Antonio came in Saturday on a visit to Mrs. Jacob Groff and other kindred.

Mr. and Mrs. Chas. Groff and little sons moved back into our midst from Pierson Saturday and are domiciled at Mrs. E. Leinweber's residence.

Two sons and a daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Ed. Beetz of California are visiting relatives in our midst. One of the boys suffered an attack of appendicitis about a week ago and was rushed to Santa Rosa Infirmary where he underwent an operation. At this writing he is doing nicely.

A most peculiar incident happened Monday. Mr. Louis Bohl had parked his car under a large mesquite tree while working on his farm. Suddenly the gentleman heard a crash and found that a large limb of the old tree had broken down, smashing the top and all four tires and otherwise damaging his car. A wagon also parked there passed through the ordeal minus a tongue.

Mr. and Mrs. Louis Fuos visited kindred near Devine Monday.

Messrs. W. F. Naegelin, Jno. W. Hans and John B. Rihn attended the meeting of the Democratic Committee at Hondo Monday.

County Commissioner A. H. Tondre

LACOSTE LEDGERETS.

From the LaCoste Ledger. 56 CARS OF OATS SHIPPED OUT OF LACOSTE

New oats shipped out of LaCoste from June 1st to 15th inclusive amounted to 56 cars, according to report handed this office by Mr. F. M. Mills, local agent of the Southern Pacific.

The following is a list of the firms shipping:

Farmers Union Whse. Co.	29 cars
LaCoste Mercantile Co.	25 cars
Medina Mercantile Co.	1 car
R. J. Mangold	1 car

Total 56 cars

BIRTHDAY PARTY.

On Sunday afternoon, June 13th, Mrs. Adolph Reymann entertained with a birthday party, at her home given in honor of Mr. Adolph Reymann, the occasion being Mr. Reymann's 65th birthday.

MANN - HUTZLER

Tuesday morning, June 15, 1926, at 8:30 A. M. Miss Ruby Mann became the happy bride of Mr. Wilfred Hutzler at St. Mary's church, here. The wedding ceremony, which was performed by Rev. James Marsollier was followed by a Nuptial High Mass.

The attendants were Miss Nettie Luckenbach, maid of honor, and Alex Hutzler and Miss Mary Geyer and Paul Hutzler. The bridal party marched up the aisle to the strains of Battman's Wedding March, played by Mrs. Julius Ahr, in the following order: Miss Nettie Luckenbach and the groom, followed by the bride with Alex Hutzler.

Immediately after services at church the bridal party and invited

and Aug J. Mangold were Hondo business visitors Monday.

Mrs. C. B. Watters, Miss Mollie de Montel and Ralph de Montel and Henry Muth motored out from San Antonio and spent Sunday at the Robert de Montel ranch.

Mrs. George Hodges and little son, Marshall, of Dallas are the guests of Mrs. Hodges' parents, Mr. and Mrs. Robert de Montel.

Mrs. Joe. L. Fohn and son, Leonard, Miss Bertha Baker, accompanied by F. Marion Davis, Tim Ingram and Gilbert Young, who are in training at the R. O. T. C. at Fort Sam Houston, spent Sunday picnicking on the river here.

Tony Fritz Simon is back from a several months stay in Arizona.

BIRTHDAYS CELEBRATED.

A double birthday celebration was held at the home of Mr. Albert Beck on Sunday, May 30, 1926, in honor of Mrs. B. M. Hans' 78th birthday and her son, John Hans, 54th birthday. The children and grandchildren of Mrs. Hans, with the exception of three grandchildren, Justin Hans of Granger, Calif., Miss Fanny Wernette of Uvalde and Lee Wernette of Dualay, were all present and a good time was had by all in singing, playing cards and swimming. The table was decorated in bouquets of pink and white flowers, and a sumptuous dinner was served, consisting of two pigs, salads, fifteen cakes and two large white and pink birthday cakes, one with 87 candles and one with 54 candles, and ice cream, to the following: Nick, Hans and wife of Utopia, Mrs. Mollie Hans, Mr. John Hans, Mrs. Emil Halberdier, Harry Hans and wife, Marion, Edgar, Gabe and Tommy Hans, Miss Theresa Hans, A. O. Beck, Ralph Beck, Claude Beck, Earl Beck, Lottie Beck, Bertie Beck, Sylvan Halberdier, Mary and Lucille Halberdier, Clara and Ellen Hans, M. Hans, Vera Lee Hans, Harvey Hans, Ed Hans, Mrs. Alb. Beck, Mrs. Aug. Koenig, Mr. Joe Hans, Mrs. Eug. Jungman, Eugen Jungman, Leo and Wilfred Jungman, Gertrude and Florentine Jungman, Mr. and Mrs. Sam Tschirhart and children and Mrs. Albert Griffin and children of Devine, Selmon Skains of Houston, Joe Wernette and wife of Biry, Joe Hans and wife of Vanderpool, Claude Hans and wife and Richard Hans of Utopia, Fred Hans and Mr. and Mrs. Alexander of Knippa.

guests repaired to the home of Mr. and Mrs. Louis Biediger where an all day celebration took place.

The bride wore a gown of beaded white bat crepe and a wreath and a silk embroidered veil and carried a bouquet of white Carnations.

The maid of honor wore a dress of pink organdie with hat to match carrying a bouquet of daisies. The bridesmaid wore a dress of blue organdie with hat to match and carrying a bouquet of daisies.

The bride, who is the foster-daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Louis Biediger, lived here since childhood, received her education in local schools and has a large circle of friends here.

The groom is the second oldest son of Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Hutzler, was born and grew up to manhood here and received his education in local schools.

Mr. and Mrs. Hutzler intend to make their home at Carrizo Springs where the groom is employed.

The Ledger extends its congratulations to the newly married couple, and wishes them a long and happy married life.

Out of town guests at the wedding were: W. A. Luckenbach and family of Seguin, Emil Nehr and family from D'Hanis, Edmund Geyer and family and Leo Mann from below Pearsall, W. A. Reicherezer and family from San Antonio and John Hutzler and family of Bader Settlement.

Joe L. Tschirhart from Castroville was a business visitor here Saturday. Emil Bippert Jr. from the Sauz was here on business Saturday.

Aug. Jungmann and family from the Sauz were visiting here Saturday. Otto Schneider from Delta was here on business Thursday morning. Alfred Rihn from Riomedina was here on business last Thursday.

Edwin Rihn from Spindletop was here last Friday.

Sheriff J. F. Bader of Hondo was here on legal business Tuesday.

Mr. and Mrs. W. S. Schley from Devine were LaCoste visitors Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. Paul Christilles were San Antonio visitors Tuesday.

Mr. and Mrs. Anton Bohle were short visitors here last Saturday.

Eugene J. Keller was a business visitor in the Alamo City Wednesday.

Mr. and Mrs. Adolph Hutzler and family were San Antonio visitors last Saturday.

County Attorney D. C. Brown from Devine was here for court Saturday morning.

Mr. and Mrs. D. J. Christilles and daughter were Fredricksburg visitors Saturday and Sunday.

Louis Biediger was in San Antonio Thursday getting a supply of canning cans.

At a meeting of the members of St. Mary's Parish, after High Mass Sunday morning, June 13th, it was decided to have a Parish Picnic in Echtle's Grove on the Medina on Sunday, July 11, 1926. Watch for announcements in this paper.

Messrs. Henry Gross and Oswald Keller left here Tuesday for San Antonio, where they took the train on an extended trip to Chicago. They will make several stops between here and Chicago. While there they will attend the Eucharistic Congress.

Mr. and Mrs. George Christilles left here Tuesday for Comfort, Kerrville and Fredricksburg on a few days visit. Mr. Christilles says if the climate suits him at any of the above towns, he might spend the greater part of the summer there.

Mr. and Mrs. Michael Franger from here, Mr. and Mrs. Bax Bippert and family from the Sauz and Mr. and Mrs. Aug. Radiger from Gillet were visiting Ed, Franger and family in San Antonio Tuesday. At the same time they celebrated Ed's 50th birthday anniversary.

F. C. Stinson of Riomedina was here on business Wednesday.

Robert Halty from near Castroville was here Thursday.

Alvin Droitecourt was a San Antonio visitor last Friday.

J. L. Mechler and son of Hondo were visiting here Tuesday evening.

Mr. and Mrs. George Christilles from here and Mrs. Hy. Vonfle of Castroville attended the funeral of Mrs. Fred Braun at Moore last Friday.

Mr. and Mrs. John Hutzler and Mr. and Mrs. Allen Haby and baby from Bader Settlement were visiting Mr. and Mrs. Anton Bohl last Tuesday.

Miss Emma Biediger who has been attending Draughton's Practical Business College in San Antonio for the past two months was visiting home-folks here Saturday and Sunday.

Rudolph Bippert, our local telephone man, left here Wednesday evening for Corpus Christi where he will attend a Telephone Owners Convention.

Mr. and Mrs. Wilfred Hutzler and Misses Nettie and Katherine Luckenbach were San Antonio visitors Wednesday, from where the Misses Luckenbachs left for their home in Seguin.

Mr. and Mrs. John Hutzler and son Wesley and Mr. and Mrs. Allen Haby and baby from Bader Settlement were visiting Mr. and Mrs. Adolph Hutzler and family here Sunday evening.

Benj Kempf and son, Ulick, from near Castroville were short visitors here last Friday.

Mr. and Mrs. Alex Jungman and family were visiting Eugene Bohl and family at Devine last Sunday.

Wm. Scherrer from Castroville was hauling freight from here last Thursday.

Miss Annetta Droitecourt spent last week-end with Miss Marie Hanna in San Antonio.

J. J. Droitecourt Jr. of Hondo is spending this week with Jos. O. Droitecourt and family here.

Mr. and Mrs. Jos. O. Droitecourt and daughter, Miss Myrtle, were visiting relatives and friends at Hondo Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. Alfred J. Wurzbach from above Riomedina were business visitors here Wednesday.

Francis Monier is spending this week in San Antonio, attending the Pioneer Freighters Ass'n. celebration there.

A Farmer Boy's Success

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tion there.

George Hawkes and family from Borden spent the past week with Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Hawkes and daughters.

Mr. and Mrs. Louis Jungman Jr. and daughters and Miss Olivia Jungman of Devine were visitors here last Friday.

Mrs. Mollie Hans and daughter Miss Theresa and Miss Tillie Ahr of Castroville were visiting friends and relatives here Sunday.

Miss Fannie Bourquin of Castroville and Willie Biediger from Spindletop were visitors at our office Tuesday.

Leon Iltis from Delta was visiting Ed. Bates Jr. at the Hospital Wednesday. He reports Eddie still in a critical condition.

Joe Monier, Mrs. Philip Monier, Mrs. Maggie Benzen and Mrs. Fred Monier of San Antonio spent last Thursday with Jos. O. Droitecourt and family here.

REACHING THE GOAL.

It is the natural spirit of the American to shoot straight forward for the position he wishes to reach.

There is bound to be displeasure and disappointment if anyone comes in the way of his realizing his aim or his ambition.

But who could expect to make a bee line for a goal and get there without an obstacle?

It is better to get a clear understanding early in the game that every worthy effort has its drawbacks, and you will have yours.

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NOTICE TO THE PUBLIC.
Account of July 4th, 1926, fol-
lows: Sunday, we, the undersigned,
of the public that our places
business will be closed all day
July 5th, 1926.
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Bakery (10 o'clock.)
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Gause & Starnes.
Furniture Co.
DIRECT NEW SCHOOL
BUILDING.
Meeting of the Parishioners
day morning, it was definite-
ed to proceed at once with
the erection of a school
for the St. John's Parish,
now under way for financ-
understanding and the struc-
cost approximately \$25,-
Building will be of brick, two
high with a basement. It
located about forty feet west
church and front south. The
will be constructed in a T
and be 70 feet the wide way.
It will be three study rooms 30
feet on the ground floor and
the same dimensions on the
upper. The balance of the
story will be used as living
quarters for the Sisters. The base-
ment will be equipped for an audi-
um up to date stage and
modern conveniences.
The parish school has grown so
in the last few years that
these are imperative and this
imposing structure, in ad-
ding a needed convenience
to the parish will be
a boon to our little city.
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Connections—75c per month
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ing machine in No. 1 condition, at
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Apply to OTTO VOGHT,
Boerne, Texas.
WITCHER IS BAD.
Date One: "I wish I were
you?"—Newark Dispatch.

QUIHI NOTES.
Sunday morning at 10 o'clock di-
vine service will be held in St. John's
Lutheran church of New Fountain.
All are cordially welcome.
Sunday school and Bible class at
Bethlehem Lutheran church at 9 o'-
clock A. M. and English service at
8 P. M. All are invited to this and
all services in this church.
For Saturday, July 3rd, a real
4th of July celebration will be held
in the Henry J. Bohle grove under
the auspices of the Quihi Luther
League and Sunday school. This
celebration offers a fine opportunity
to families to spend a day together,
and with friends and neighbors, in
the open. Just pack your lunch
baskets and come. Arrangements
for various games and races and the
distribution of prizes to winners
have been made. The dinner will
be a basket dinner in the shade of
the trees. All who enjoy barbecued
meat with bread, pickles, etc., will
be able to get this favored kind to
eat on the grounds, prepared by an
expert. Ice cream and cold drinks
will also be offered to all who like
them on a hot day. At about 2 P.
M. an interesting program will be
given. Thus far there are schedul-
ed for this program several classic
selections by the Quihi church choir,
declarations by Misses Pauline Graff
and Elsie Mumme, an oration by
Prof. Schweers Saathoff and possibly
a speech by a speaker to be selected,
a German declamation by Ida Bal-
zen and a patriotic conclusion by
Master Milton Balzen.
Last Sunday afternoon the infant
son of Mr. and Mrs. Henry F. Buss
received the sacrament of holy bap-
tism in Bethlehem Lutheran church.
The little gentleman received the
name Henry Clinton and has Mr.
and Mrs. Benj. De Grodt as sponsors.
The event was celebrated at the
home of Mr. and Mrs. Buss with a
very fine lunch and the presence of
invited guests.
All who possibly can are kindly re-
quested to meet next Wednesday
morning at 8:30 o'clock with the
committee which has the 4th of July
arrangements in hand at the Henry
J. Boehle grove and help to clean
up the place.

THE POOR OLD EDITOR.
The Editor, he wants the dope;
He wants the news and the stuff;
'Most any little joke will do,
Though it mustn't be too rough.
The Editor, he wants to know
When folks go for a frolic;
'Bout marriage (or even dates!)
Or a cure for baby's colic;
Promotions, transfers, and the like
And what's become of "Jimmie";
And for anything original—
Why, say his name is "Gimme".
The Editor, he sits around
And wonders what to write—
He looks for news the whole day long
And prays for it at night.
Well, let's all help the Editor
With the contribution stuff;
Let's deluge him with newsy news
Until he cries "enough!"
—Selected.
MASONS ELECT.
At the annual election of officers
of Hondo City Lodge No. 756, A.
F. & A. M., held Monday night, the
following were chosen for the ensu-
ing year:
O. A. Fly, Worshipful Master.
Earl Starnes, Senior Warden.
Barnitz Carle, Junior Warden.
W. N. Saathoff, Secretary.
J. R. Chancey, Treasurer.
V. A. Crow, Tiler.
LITTLE ONE DIES.
Little John L., Jr., the two-and-
a-half year old son of Mr. and Mrs.
John L. Moore, died at the home
of his parents on Thursday evening,
June 17, 1926, and was buried the
following day.
The bereaved parents have the
sympathy of the entire community.
Nowadays one man's drink is an-
other man's poison.
Eat, drink and be wary, for it
may not be rye.
"Personality," in a man counts a
lot with some women.
You know more than I do,
You can't deny that this is true.
You know more than I do,
'Cause you know Me, and I know
YOU.
Screen wire—Holloway Bros.

CHANGE OF TIME CARD
ON SOUTHERN PACIFIC RY.
WEST BOUND.
Train No. 103, due at 7:09 P. M.
(No Mail.)
Train No. 7, due at 11:35 A. M.
(U. S. Mail.)
Train No. 227, due at 1:10 A. M.
EAST BOUND.
Train No. 104, due at 12:02 P. M.
(U. S. Mail.)
Train No. 8, due at 5:53 P. M.
(U. S. Mail.)
Train No. 228, due at 2:05 A. M.
No. 101, Sunset Limited, west bound,
due at 6:14 A. M., picks up pas-
sengers for points west of El Paso,
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Clarence Haass is spending the week with his uncle at Devine.

FURNISHED ROOM for rent. See Mrs. J. S. Fly or ring 213. 46-4tpd

FOR SALE—A residence in Hondo. See J. A. Blackburn. 47-tf.

There will be horse races at Hondo July 5. Watch for race program.

FOR RENT—A house in the southeast part of town. Apply at this office. 45-tf.

Mr. Clarence Haass returned from Devine where he has been visiting his uncle, Mr. S. H. Wilkinson.

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Aug E. Saathoff and I. F. Aten were over from Kincheloe Prairie Monday evening to attend the meeting of the Masonic Lodge.

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The D'Hanis and Quihi ball teams met for the first time this season at D'Hanis and just as everybody expected it was a good game of ball. The game was a fast one, being played in one hour and forty minutes. Koch for D'Hanis and Oefinger for Quihi pitched major league ball and only through errors in the fourth inning was either side able to score. D'Hanis getting 2 while the best Quihi could do was 1. Next Sunday the two teams will meet again on Quihi territory.

Wm. F. Naegelin, John W. Hans and J. B. Rihn were over from Castroville Monday to attend the meeting of the Democratic Executive committee. The boys report Mrs. Ferguson as strong as ever with the people at Castroville. If the friends of our first woman governor's administration turn out and do their duty July 24th Mrs. Ferguson will carry Medina County by a little better than two to one.

Prof. W. N. Saathoff was home over Sunday from San Marcos where he is attending summer school.

Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Galbreath were here Tuesday from Robstown on a visit to friends. They were accompanied on the trip by their married daughter. Jim thinks Ma Ferguson is sure of a triumphant reelection if the voters all turn out July 24 and help.

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Miss Joella and Anna Mae Wilkinson are visiting Mrs. Adolph Haass and Mrs. Frances Keller.

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Mr. and Mrs. A. H. Sprenger and sons, Clinton, Milton and Albert Jr., and Mrs. H. J. Sprenger, Mr. Sprenger's mother, were here from San Antonio Sunday, visiting Mrs. Sprenger's mother, Mrs. A. A. Falkenberg.

F. H. Falkenberg and his son, Lloyd, and his nephew, Spencer Falkenberg, of Taylor, Texas, were here Sunday visiting Rev. Falkenberg. F. H., who was formerly in the drug business here, is now traveling salesman for Abbot Laboratory Co., of Chicago.

FOR SALE—One thousand acres oil and gas leases or any part, out of surveys 740, 741, 742, 747, 599 and 603, Medina County, Texas. Am selling to highest bidder. Lease executed Sept. 27th, 1921. Mrs. Myra De Forrest, 1107 Stanford Ave, Oakland California. 45-4t.

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We are pleased to acknowledge receipt of a guest badge and the following invitation: You are cordially invited to attend the Third Annual Reunion of the Bandera County Old Settlers Association to be held at Mansfield Park, Bandera, Texas, July 2nd and 3rd, 1926. A Guest's Badge is herewith enclosed, which will admit you at entrance each day.

We failed to mention at the time that Mr. W. L. Crow has returned to his home at Thomas, Texas, after a visit to his children here. Mr. Crow, who is now an aged man, is also suffering from the effects of a broken among his friends as much as he would have liked.

The Baptist protracted meeting began with the eleven o'clock service last Sunday morning at the Baptist church. Services are being held at ten o'clock each morning and at eight in the evening, and good crowds are in attendance. The meeting will continue through all next week.

Mr. and Mrs. Paul Reilly and Mrs. Reilly's parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. J. Dyer stopped over here Friday night of last week with Mr. Reilly's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Jacob Reilly, while enroute home from Anson, Jones Co., from a visit to Corpus Christi.

Mr. and Mrs. J. P. Ephraim, cashier of the D'Hanis State Bank, returned Monday from a two week's vacation trip to California and other western points. They had a most delightful trip.

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Sheriff Bader was called to Devine Saturday night on official business. Several arrests were made and a rather gay party broken up.

August Hornung was on the sick list the middle of the week, but at last report was on the road to improvement.

Albert Hornung has been on the sick list during the week but is up again.

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D'HANIS NEWSLETS

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Miss Thelma Langfeld
to whom all items intended for this column should be handed not later than Wednesday noon of each week. Miss Langfeld is authorized to collect and receipt for money due this paper.

Mr. J. L. Williams left for his home at Henrietta, Texas, last Friday.

Mr. and Mrs. H. C. Mueller from San Antonio were visiting relatives here Saturday and Sunday.

Misses Carrie and Eunice Langfeld spent the week-end at San Antonio.

Mr. and Mrs. J. P. Ephraim returned from their trip to points of interest in California Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. Alb. Nester and family were visiting Mr. and Mrs. Jacob Reily at Hondo Tuesday evening.

Misses Helen Nester, Agie Carle, and Thelma Langfeld were visitors at Hondo Saturday afternoon.

Mrs. Jno. Zinsmeyer was a San Antonio visitor Tuesday.

Mrs. T. E. Wyatt and daughter, Mrs. N. Graham, and grandson returned to their home at Sabinal Sunday evening after visiting relatives here.

Mrs. Aug. Garteiser is visiting her daughter, Mrs. Aug. Gerdes, near Yancey.

Mr. Fred Carle from San Antonio was visiting his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Joe Carle one day last week.

Miss Bertha Sauter left last Thursday to attend the Eucharistic Congress which is held at Chicago, Ill.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Finger and daughter, Beatrice, were visitors at San Antonio last week-end.

Mr. and Mrs. Paul Reinhart and daughter, Lena, were shoppers at San Antonio Tuesday.

Misses Lena Reinhart, Nettie Rieber, Mrs. Alice Reinhart, and Mr. Gus Rothe attended the Dilly-Eagle Pass ball game at Dilly Sunday afternoon.

Mr. Hy Finger made a business trip to Fort Worth this week.

Mr. Roy Nester was visiting his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Alb. Nester, Saturday and Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Jacob Vogel and Ernest made a business trip to San Antonio Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. Jim Ney and son, E. J., were visitors at San Antonio Monday.

Mr. Otto Nester from San Antonio was visiting his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Ferdinand Nester here Sunday.

Mrs. E. E. Heye and children and Miss Lena Rinkus of San Antonio spent Friday here visiting home-folks.

Miss Hulda Rinkus had as her guest last week-end Miss Willie Prinz of San Antonio.

BUNCO

On the night of June 20, 1926,



You Can Easily Kill and Prevent Bed Bugs

You can't be too careful about these horrid pests. No home is safe unless you take the right precautions. But Bee Brand Insect Powder will keep them out and it's safe and easy to use.

Sprinkle thickly on springs and mattresses, into cracks and crevices. It's a clean powder that can't stain or stain fabrics. Better be safe than sorry. Use Bee Brand before bed bugs come.

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If your dealer can't supply you, send us 25c for large household size. Give dealer's name and ask for free booklet, "It Kills Them," a guide for killing house and garden pests.

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the members of the "Sunday Nite Bunco Club" were delightfully entertained at the home of Mr. and Mrs. O. W. Tondre.

After 30 games of Bunco, Mrs. Bert Simpson held high score and was awarded a pretty platter. Mrs. Alphonse Boog who held low score was consoled with the booby prize.

Mr. F. G. Muennink held men's highscore and was given a necktie. Mr. John Rieber won the men's booby prize. Consolation prize was awarded to Mr. Alphonse Boog.

Refreshments consisting of Angel and Devils food cake, sandwiches, and iced tea were served to the following members: Mr. and Mrs. Bert Simpson, Mr. and Mrs. Frank Finger, Mr. and Mrs. F. B. Surovik, Mr. and Mrs. William Brown, Mr. and Mrs. F. G. Muennink, Mr. and Mrs. Louis Ernst, Mr. and Mrs. John Rieber, Mr. and Mrs. O. W. Tondre. The guests were: Mr. and Mrs. Alphonse Boog.

BASEBALL

D'Hanis defeated Quihi on the local diamond Sunday by the score of 2 to 1. The game was a pitcher's battle between Koch of D'Hanis and Oefinger of Quihi with Koch having the edge.

With two runners on base and two men out in the fifth inning, J. Finger doubled to right, scoring both runners which proved enough to win the game.

Next Sunday D'Hanis plays Quihi at Quihi.

Batteries for last Sunday's game were: D'Hanis, Koch and Finger; Quihi, Oefinger and Oefinger.

MRS. ALBRICHT ENTERTAINS.

Wednesday the Social Club and a number of guests enjoyed a delightful afternoon with Mrs. Walter Albricht. Bouquets of beautiful pink crepe myrtle were placed in the reception and dining rooms.

Following ten interesting games of "42" high score was held by Mrs. Alphonse Boog, for which she received a lovely bottle of perfume. A tooth brush was given to Mrs. Martin Zinsmeyer for low score. The hostess served refreshing pink and white brick ice cream and angel food cake to Mesdames Alphonse Boog, M. A. Zinsmeyer, Arthur Rothe and Elton Blalock, Misses Lena Reinhart, Alice Rothe, Cornelia Koch and Lucy Rothe.

FOR SALE.

I am offering the Taylor Estate property (one block east of Court House) for sale.

Mr. and Mrs. J. A. Starnes of San Antonio spent last week-end here with their son, Earl Starnes, and wife.

To Cure a Cold in One Day
Take LAXATIVE BROMO QUININE (Tablets.) It stops the Cough and Headache and works off the cold. E. W. GROVE'S signature on each box. 30c.

LAWN PARTY.

Mrs. H. J. Meyer entertained with a lovely bridge Wednesday afternoon. Tables were arranged on the spacious lawn, beneath the cooling branches of the tall trees. Beds of blossoming Shasta daisies added materially to the attractiveness of the delightful scene.

At the conclusion of four games, Mrs. Fletcher Davis held high score in points and received a lovely cut-glass vase; a cut-glass vase for high in honors went to Mrs. Aug. Schroeder. Mrs. Barnitz Carle held high score in both points and honors and was presented with a pretty vase; the "booby" went to Mrs. L. E. Heath.

At the close of the games delectable plate lunches of chicken salad, olives, potato chips, pineapple and cheese sandwiches, with iced tea, was served on large laquered trays to the following: Mesdames Felix Batot, Horace Bradley, Barnitz Carle, Jack Forgason, O. H. Miller, C. J. Monkhouse, E. J. Murray, H. Muennink, George Hodges of Dallas, John Becker of New Mexico, Roy Nixon, Earl Boon, Fletcher Davis, L. E. Heath, R. J. Noonan, Felix Richter, W. H. Smith, F. H. Schweers, Earl Starnes, Aug. Schroeder, Dr. Jackson, Robert Decker, Misses Mary Newberry of Gonzales, Lucille de Montel, Lorraine Heath, Octavia Davis and the hostess.

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LITTLE J. L. MOORE.

The angel of death has visited the home of Mr. and Mrs. J. L. Moore and removed from their home to the Home Eternal their little son, J. L. Junior. He was born Nov. 13, 1923 and departed this life June 17, 1926, having spent on earth only two years seven months and four days.

He was stricken with his last illness Friday, June 4, and God took him away to be with Him Thursday afternoon about five o'clock, June 17. The little fellow made a hard fight for his life but the disease was too strong for his little body and the battle went against him.

Little J. L. was a manly little boy beloved by all who knew him. How he will be missed, not only by his devoted parents and little sister but by the many friends among his neighbors whom he had made.

May heaven's sustaining grace comfort and support the bereaved family and draw them closer be-

cause of his going, to that Home where neither sickness, sorrow nor death can ever enter.

"That little form before us
In death's embrace,
Sweet angel face,
Has left a vacant place.

Our child has gone to glory;
Let us prepare
To meet it there,
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The BULL'S EYE

Editor and General Manager
WILL ROGERS



Meeting the "Bull" Durham Smoker Face to Face

I am just making, as the Politician says, "A swing around the Circle," to see what was going on in "Real America." I had been in New York so long, I was getting a kind of a Subway "Slant" on things. I was becoming as narrow as a Metropolitan Newspaper Editorial Writer. My eyesight was getting so poor I couldn't see beyond the Hudson River, and my mind wouldn't function farther away than Albany, N. Y.

I knew that New York was "amusing the world," but I wanted to meet the fellow who was "feeding it." I am kinder oddly constituted. You can cut off my amusement, but if my food stops you are going to have an argument on your hands.

I, as Editor and Proprietor of the Bull's Eye, wanted to meet not only the readers, but the consumers of THIS Wonderful Product of OURS. (The American Tobacco Company and me.) Well, I wish you could see the type of Men they were. Big, fine healthy upstanding He-Men. They were not the little Anemics that has to tap his Cigarette on the box before he can smoke it. They were our Producers of our Necessities of Life. When I saw the type of He-Men smoking "Bull" Durham, it almost made me cry, that I wasn't a smoker myself.

Will Rogers

P. S. There will be another piece here a few weeks from now. Look for it.



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FLETCHER DAVIS, Editor.

Entered as second class matter June 24, 1922, at the Postoffice at Hondo, Texas, under Act of March 3, 1879.

HONDO, TEXAS, JUNE 1, 1926.

"Love finds a way"—but sometimes to forgive is the only way.

It is not so much with your creed or clan
The world is concerned—but are you a man!

The prettiest color that ever adorned a maiden's cheek is the blush of maidenly modesty—and shall we say the rarest!

Adam, well may we labor, still to dress
This garden, still to tend plant, herb and flower. —Milton.

There is going to be a world of valuable cornfodder produced this year. Is there going to be a world of it saved, or a world of it wasted?

The public censures a craven and subservient press for its cowardice or corruption and lets the papers with the courage of conviction starve to death!

It's a slow town that doesn't stage a bathing beauty contest now-a-days. If their women are still possessed of too much old-fashioned modesty to expose "the beauties of the female form divine" to the yawning gaze of the curious crowd there are plenty of towns ready to lend them enough to make the show a go.

The life of farm machinery depends mainly upon the owner. The same machine lasts twice to three or four times as long with one man as it does with another, and this difference in the useful life of the machine has been found to be largely due to shelter or lack of shelter. Now is a good time to see that all implements not in use are under shelter. —The Progressive Farmer.

The government protects me from allowing myself to take a drink of legally acquired booze but allows an insolvent insurance company to rob me of my money by accepting my premium payment after it knows it is broke. And while the government taxes me to maintain an insurance department it affords me no protection from such thieves. What's a government anyhow?

One reason why most farm-relief legislation, so called, ends in failure is because it is fundamentally unsound to begin with. What the real farmers want and what agriculture as a whole needs is not a mass of ill-advised class legislation, but a getting back to sound and correct fundamental principles—equal protection to all under the law, special favors to none and no needless intermeddling in private affairs.

In ancient time the sacred plow employed
The kings and awful fathers of mankind;
And some, with whom compared your insect tribes
Are but the beings of a summer day.
Have held the scale of empire, ruled the storm
Of mighty war; then, with unwearied hand,
Disdaining little delicacies, seized
The plough, and greatly independent, lived.
—James Thomson.

SHALL REASON OR RANCOR RULE?

Hate is the ruling passion in some shriveled souls.

To such tranvesties on the human kind nothing the object of their enmity does can be right in their eyes.

And the limits to the vindictiveness with which such creatures pursue the object of their enmity seems to know no bounds.

Coming into the position of governor or under trying circumstances and without the precedent of a long line of preceding illustrious women governors to guide her, Mrs. Ferguson's administration has been such as would do credit to any one hovever versed in state craft.

She found the state torn with dissension and strife, and civil war with the subjects of a self-styled invisible empire dangerously near.

All is peace—and not a creek bottom tribunal has dared challenge the legal rights to a public trial of the humblest creature within the borders of our great state since she assumed the official obligation to enforce the law.

Shall we who trusted this great responsibility to her woman's hand in our time of danger prove ungrateful to her now?

Her administration inherited a heavy financial deficit from the misfit administration that preceded hers.

State finances are sound now, and relief from the excessive burden of taxation piled on the backs of the people by her predecessors is a possibility of the near future?

INSIDIOUS PROPAGANDA.

There is a propaganda mill at 1735 Sixteenth Street, N. W., Washington, D. C., functioning under the name of Scottish Rite News Bureau, the poorly disguised purpose of which seems to be to secure the nationalization of our public school system.

After an elegantly sugarcoated introduction in a recent issue of their sheet, they injected the following poison:

"The new Education Bill, now pending in Congress, is a step forward. It will provide a Department of Education with a Secretary in the President's Cabinet. It will not mean federal control, as is urged by its opponents, but will furnish means to meet the ever increasing problems affecting the public schools."

To think that the public can be made to believe that the national government will maintain an elaborate Department of Education without dictating the policy of that department in its relations with the States is to presume too much upon the credulity of the people and to belie the practice in its other affairs.

Aside from the evil of advocating this pernicious principle



Courtesy Bandera New Era.

VACATION LAND ON THE MEDINA

WHY THIS HYPOCRACY.

Of all the hypocritical farces that ever shamed a great people America's pretense at enforcing the prohibition law is surely the limit.

We say pretense advisedly. Personally, we regard the law itself as a greater crime against the freedom and natural rights of man than the "crime"—using alcoholic liquor as a beverage—which it is designed to suppress, and it should be repealed.

But until it is repealed it is the law of the land and should be obeyed.

Furthermore, no man can be a good citizen who does not both obey it in personal conduct and strive, in so far as befits a good citizen, to secure its enforcement.

Now to violate the law by consummating an illegal sale of liquor requires two parties to the transaction—the seller and the buyer.

In the eyes of the criminal law both are equal partners in the crime; both are equally culpable; and both should be meted out equal punishment.

But who has ever heard of any effort to punish the buyer of bootleg equally along with his partner in crime?

Until we do, all efforts at enforcement will be but a pretense and a farce.

The following from the Houston Chronicle is in point, and should have the thoughtful consideration of all:

"The question is being asked every day by thousands of people. Why are not those who buy liquor prosecuted just as those who sell it?"

"It is asked because to punish a man for doing something he could not do if there was not another man ready to help, and who does help, to consummate the act, yet let the other man go free, offends the innate popular sense of justice."

"The Chronicle undertakes to say that the buyer from the bootlegger is legally guilty as much as he is morally guilty."

WHY THE PRINTER, ANY MORE THAN THE FARMER?

The printers and publishers of the country have been patient and long-suffering in their submission to government competition in the printing business.

If the Department of Agriculture should contract with an organization of poultry raisers, hog raisers or wheat raisers to furnish it certain amounts of these products which it, in turn, would sell at prices impossible for small farmers to meet, the situation would be the same as that faced by the small printers of the country who cannot meet government competition, in printing return addresses on stamped envelopes. —Selected.

FIFTY-FIFTY FEDERAL AID.

Pennsylvania, as contributor of something like one dollar out of every ten the Federal Government collects and pays out, can appreciate the plea which Senator Wadsworth of New York makes in The Nation's Business that this costly aid practice be stopped.

These schemes provide that the Federal Government shall pay to any State Government carrying on certain work a sum equal to that which the State itself appropriates for the same work. With the Federal Government annually granting about \$110,000,000 in this fashion, State Governments are virtually dragged into granting another \$110,000,000. These enterprises, requiring \$220,000,000 a year, are carried on by States on conditions, and sometimes according to fixed specifications, made by Congress and supervised from Washington.

The process began with the Smith-Lever act in 1914, under which Federal grants for agricultural extension work are made. But nobody has yet predicted where it is going to end. The practice centralizes at Washington, Federal machinery dealing with local affairs thousands of miles away, and in every State of the Union puts Federal officials who exercise within and upon those States the power which they wield from Washington.

As Senator Wadsworth says, this country is not an empire. It is a Federal Union of States. Centralization of power at Washington has a tendency to smother the ability of the people to govern themselves in their States and their communities.

Letting Washington do it is not merely expensive. It hurts the capacity of the people to do it for themselves. —Philadelphia Evening Bulletin.

SOUND REASONING.

(Elizabeth Baker in Dallas News)

Appropos of all this dissension about the United States becoming a member of the World Court, would it not be well to hearken to the advice of some of England's prominent writers?

Hillman Belloc, the well known English historian and essayist is the author of a book titled "The Contrast," which deals incidentally with pro-British movement on this side of this Atlantic. What he says is timely reading now. We quote him:

"There is an instinctive sagacity in the American attitude, so far preserved of keeping aloof from the affairs of Europe. All those who wish the United States well and the number of those who wish them well at heart on their side is small, though the number who flatter them openly is large—at those, I say, who wish the United States well at heart can do no more than repeat the phrase of their great founder, and assure them that the duty of their rulers is to keep free from all entanglements with the subtleties, the angers, the ultimate conflicts of our own culture. They saved us in the war. We owe them debts deliberately undertaken when they were still neutral. Let us pay them and not whine for assistance."

This advice, coming from a man like Hillman Belloc, should make an impression on a thinking people. The World Court is a trap to get the United States into the League of Nations in order to exploit us and commandeer both our men and money.

They are going back to the political bonnyard and raking up an endorsement for Dan Moody from every old has been politician they can coerce into doing so, but the live ones know the value of Democratic precedent. This is Mrs. Ferguson's year by right of that precedent, and he who seeks to lay violent hands upon that right will either go into deserved political oblivion or else raise up a flock of ghosts to haunt his whole political future.

Here are two of the 16 pages comprising June Farming. You can get it with this paper one year for only 50c more.

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FEDERAL EDUCATION.

A campaign is on among the aggressive educationalists to obtain an annual \$100,000,000 federal aid appropriation for schools. The scheme is this: the government will send money to states that will match the gifts with like sum, the total to be laid out on schools. The government will prescribe the conditions. It will provide inspection and direction. State control will become federal control.

The money, of course, will not be picked off the trees. It will come from the people in the form of taxes to be returned to the people under terms as Washington shall lay down. Local self-government will be surrendered, in small part at first, possibly entirely in time. It will be a bureau at the national capital which will tell what studies are to be taught, how they are to be taught, and perhaps who is to do the teaching. A thing of this sort once started rolls up power as a locomotive gathers speed on a down grade.

It would be a bad thing for states to be fooled into further extensions of the federal aid trickery, the successor of the old pork barrel grabs. It would be a bad thing to permit more encroachment on local self-government. It would be vicious to let ambitious educationalists have their way in this matter. —Toledo Blade.



Courtesy Bandera New Era.

VACATION LAND ON THE MEDINA

MOUNTING TAX BURDENS.

John G. Willacy, formerly tax commissioner, in his journal, "Facts and Figures," sets forth some figures on the tax burdens laid at this time on the people.

The Federal government collects \$3,459,000,000.

The states collect \$1,526,000,000. The local governments collect \$5,136,000,000.

A total of \$10,121,000,000.

A very simple mathematical calculation will show that when that sum is distributed per capita on the population of the United States, it means more than \$90 for each one.

The gravity of the situation will not fully appear until we deduct as the bearers of the burden the children who we know do not pay taxes, and the large proportion of women who do not pay.

Taxation is an attribute of sovereignty and, theoretically at least, the people are sovereigns, but the figures given above forecast that unless a halt is called in the matter of taxation, the sovereigns may commit financial suicide. —Exchange.

WOULD YOU STEAL THE CHILDREN'S PIE?

A cartoon in the Wallace, Idaho, Press-Times, shows Little Lord Fauntleroy the taxpayer receiving a splendid fat pie from Aunty Federal Taxes; the pie being the 387-million dollar federal income tax reduction. Behind a near-by tree is a local Taxes, a hulking, whiskered, grimed hobo, with his tomato can and his smacking lips ready to gobble up the kid's fat pie.

We vote most of our taxes with our eyes wide open. The government does not take away our money—that is, not much of it; we throw it away on baubles, hobbies, political theories, boards, commissions and thousands of useless laws and regulations, all of which cost the taxpayer money.

We ourselves are the burly tramp who robs the tax-till. —Selected.

SELF-STARTING LEGISLATION.

It is a simple thing to circulate a petition to create new laws and offices and taxes and deprive citizens of old liberties.

The inevitable result of this system is increased cost of government, reflected in higher rents, high cost of living and an increase in surplus of wage earners.

It is simple as ABC, that the more money we spend on necessary cost of living, the less we can save and the less we will have to spend in employment of labor.

Rich men do not pay the poor man's tax bills. Wage earners pay all taxes through increased cost of living.

Moral—Discourage direct legislation, by refusing to sign petitions for self-starters who increase public taxes and office holding. —Selected.

The centralization of power in Washington and the growing tendency toward bureaucracy constitutes the greatest menace to the institutions of free government confronting the American people to-day. I believe in the sovereignty of the States and contend that the people are competent to govern themselves. I maintain that no plan of centralization has ever been adopted which did not result in bureaucracy, tyranny, oppression, and decline, and I vigorously oppose all bureaus, boards, and commissions that usurp the functions of the states thereby rapidly reducing them to a condition of conquered provinces and sets up a pretense of having authority over everybody and being responsible to nobody. —Sid Hardin.

The most vindictive political foe is a disappointed job-seeker. Mrs. Ferguson had 950 job-seekers to satisfy and only 50 jobs to give out. Perhaps some of the anti-Ferguson noise emanates from the other 900.

CITATION BY PUBLICATION OF FINAL ACCOUNT.

THE STATE OF TEXAS
To the Sheriff or any Constable of Medina County, Greeting:
J. H. Burgin, Guardian of the estate of Christian Elizabeth Burgin, non compos mentis, having filed in your County Court his final Account of the condition of the Estate of said Christian Elizabeth Burgin, non compos mentis, numbered 1061 on the Probate Docket of Medina County, together with an application to be discharged from said Guardianship. You are hereby Commanded, That by publication of this Writ for twenty days in a Newspaper printed in the County of Medina you give due notice to all persons interested in the Account for final settlement of said Estate to appear and contest the same if they see proper so to do on or before the July Term, 1926, of said County Court, commencing and to be holden at the Court House of said County, in the town of Hondo, Texas, on the 5th day in July, A. D. 1926, when said Account and Application will be acted upon by said Court.
Given Under My Hand and seal of said Court, at my office in the town of Hondo, Texas, this 10th day of June, A. D. 1926.
S. A. JUNGMAN, Clerk, County Court Medina County.
I hereby Certify that the above and foregoing is a true and correct copy of the Original Writ now in my hands.
J. F. BADER, Sheriff Medina County.

CITATION ON APPLICATION TO SELL REALTY.

THE STATE OF TEXAS
To the Sheriff or any Constable of Medina County, Greeting:
You are hereby Commanded to cause to be published once each week for a period of twenty days before the return day hereof, in a newspaper of general circulation, which has been continuously and regularly published for a period of not less than one year in said Medina County, a copy of the following notice:
THE STATE OF TEXAS
To all persons interested in the estate of Jno. B. Wernette, Deceased, Wm. Rihn and Frank Grimsinger, Administrators de bonis non, have filed in the County Court of Medina County an application for an order to sell the following property of said estate, situated in Val Verde County, Texas, to-wit: An undivided one-half interest in and Lot No. Six (6), in Block No. Eleven (11), Range No. Three (3), in the town of Del Rio, in Val Verde County, Texas, which will be heard at the next term of said Court, commencing on the first Monday in July, A. D. 1926, the same being the 5th day of July, A. D. 1926, at the Court House thereof, in Hondo, Texas, at which time all persons interested in said estate are required to appear and show cause why such sale should not be made, should they choose to do so.
HEREIN FAIL NOT, but have you before said Court on the said first day of the next term thereof, this Writ, with your return thereon, showing how you have executed same.
GIVEN under my hand and the seal of said Court at office in Hondo, Texas, this 3rd day of June, A. D. 1926.
(L. S.) S. A. JUNGMAN, Clerk County Court Medina County, Texas.
I hereby Certify that the above and foregoing is a true and correct copy of the Original Writ now in my hands.
J. F. BADER, Sheriff Medina County.

NOTICE ON ANNUAL EXHIBIT IN ESTATES.

THE STATE OF TEXAS
To the Sheriff or any Constable of Medina County, Greeting:
You are hereby Commanded to cause to be published once each week for a period of twenty days before the return day hereof, in a newspaper of general circulation, which has been continuously and regularly published for a period of not less than one year in said Medina County, a copy of the following notice:
THE STATE OF TEXAS
To all persons interested in the Estate of Mrs. A. K. Goza, Deceased, J. M. Finger, Executor of said Estate, has filed in the County Court of Medina County, Texas, an Annual Exhibit of said Estate for the year ending on the 1st day of Feb'y. 1926, which will be heard by our said County Court on the first Monday in July, 1926, the same being the 5th day of said month, at the Court House of said County, in Hondo, Texas, at which time all persons interested in said Estate may appear and contest said Exhibit, should they desire to do so.
HEREIN FAIL NOT, but have you before said Court on the said first day of the next term thereof, this writ, with your return thereon, showing how you have executed the same.
GIVEN under my hand and seal of said Court, at office in Hondo, Texas, this 4th day of June, 1926.
(L. S.) S. A. JUNGMAN, Clerk County Court Medina County, Texas.
I hereby Certify that the above and foregoing is a true and correct copy of the Original Writ now in my hands.
J. F. BADER, Sheriff Medina County.

CITATION ON APPLICATION FOR LETTERS OF GUARDIANSHIP.

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To the Sheriff or any Constable of Medina County, Greeting:
YOU ARE HEREBY COMMANDED to cause to be published once each week for a period of ten days before the return day hereof, in a newspaper of general circulation, which has been continuously and regularly published for a period of not less than one year in said Medina County, a copy of the following notice:
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Welfare of Irene Schweers, minor; A. B. Brucks was by the County Court of Medina County, Texas, on the 7th day of June, A. D. 1926, present *Azadwaj, pajoude Appian* of the estate of said Minor, which appointment will be made permanent, unless the same shall be successfully contested at the next term of said Court, commencing on the first Monday in July, A. D. 1926, the same being the 5th day of July, A. D. 1926, at the Court House thereof, in Hondo, Texas, at which time all persons interested in the welfare of said Minor may appear and contest such appointment, if they so desire.
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Given under my hand and the seal of said Court, at office in Hondo, Texas, this 18th day of June, A. D. 1926.
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HOUSE JOINT RESOLUTION NO. 9.
A resolution proposing an amendment to Art. 7, of the Constitution of the State of Texas by changing Section 3, eliminating the provision authorizing the Legislature to create special districts and making an appropriation therefor.
Be it resolved by the Legislature of the State of Texas:
SECTION 1. That Section 3, Article 7, of the Constitution be so changed as to read as follows: (creating new Section.)
"Section 3. One-fourth of the revenue derived from the State Occupation taxes and poll tax of one dollar on every inhabitant of the State, between the ages of twenty-one and sixty years, shall be set apart annually for the benefit of the public free schools; and in addition thereto, there shall be levied and collected an annual ad valorem State tax of such an amount not to exceed thirty-five cents on the one hundred (\$100.00) dollars valuation, as with the available school fund arising from all other sources, will be sufficient to maintain and support the public schools of this State for a period of not less than six months in each year, and it shall be the duty of the State Board of Education to set aside a sufficient amount out of the said tax to provide free text books for the use of children attending the public free schools of this State; providing, however, that should the limit of taxation herein named be insufficient the deficit may be met by appropriation from the general funds of the State and the Legislature may also provide for the formation of school districts by general laws; and all such school districts may embrace parts of two or more counties, and the Legislature shall be authorized to pass laws for the assessment and collection of taxes in all said districts and for the management and control of the public school or schools of such districts, whether such districts are composed of territory wholly within a county or in parts of two or more counties, and the Legislature may authorize an additional ad valorem tax to be levied and collected within all school districts heretofore formed or hereafter formed, for the further maintenance of public free schools, and for the erection and equipment of school buildings therein; provided that a majority of the qualified property tax paying voters of the district voting at an election to be held for that purpose shall vote such tax not to exceed in any one year one (1.00) dollar on the hundred dollars valuation of the property subject to taxation in such district, but the limitation upon the amount of school district tax herein authorized shall not apply to incorporated cities or towns constituting separate and independent school districts, nor to independent or common school districts created by general or special law."

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DEVINE NEWSLETS

From the Devine News.
OFFICERS RAID JOINT HERE SATURDAY NIGHT.

REPORT \$100,000 LAND SALE MADE HERE.

Another delegation of homeseekers were here Monday and Tuesday and were being shown the Medina Co. Irrigated Lands. A report published in the San Antonio papers says that \$155,555 worth of the lands was sold up to this last bunch, not counting the Melton deal.

CLAIMS TO HAVE BROKEN ANOTHER WORLD RECORD.

On Wednesday of last week, Melton & Driscoll claim to have broken another world record of shipping eleven cars of roastingears in one day. On the same day, the Crockett plant shipped ten cars, making 21 cars in that day. Melton & Driscoll closed down Saturday evening and began preparation to harvest their broom corn crop, now ripening. We don't know how many cars of corn has been shipped. The Crockett plant is still rushing shipments, and may reach the 200 car mark this week.

FORM BIRY.

Mr. and Mrs. W. L. DuBose and son, Charlie, visited Tarpley and the Simpson ranch in Bandera County one day this week, taking up Grandmother Hokit for a visit. She is soon to celebrate her 98th birthday and stood the trip fine, making the 65 miles in about three hours, pulling some mud. On the return trip the roads had dried up and we made it a little over two hours. A fine heavy rain fell Friday night from Hondo north; and crops are fine all the way across Medina County.

WILDCAT TESTS.

Alamo Leasing and Drilling Company drilling the No. 1 Graff in Medina County north of the Ina field has had a log entirely different from that of the Maxwell & Turman well drilled 4,000 feet to the southeast. The latter got no rock till it reached 345 feet and the Alamo well has been having boulders at frequent intervals. The Maxwell & Turman well encountered some serpentine and the Graff well is being drilled as a further test of that area for serpentine at 690 feet. The Graff well is drilling at 748 feet and has had no serpentine thus far. A rock bit was being sent out Tuesday to be used on the well.

RULES FOR EATING FRUIT.

Eat fruit for breakfast.
Eat an apple before retiring.
Eat only sound ripe fruit. Unripe fruit is indigestible unless cooked.
Over-ripe fruit is of inferior flavor and apt to interfere with digestion.
Eat fruit with the mid-day meal.
Use fruit instead of too many and too heavy desserts.
Use sweet fruits, such as dates and figs, with cereals in winter; and sliced peaches, strawberries, raspberries or other seasonable fruits in summer with cereals.
Eat a baked apple and cream for breakfast at least twice a week.
Serve fruit cool. It is much more palatable and enticing.
Serve fruits in season as a matter of economy.
Wash dried fruits in several waters.
Keep fruit cool and covered.
Wash or wipe all fruit with damp cloth when it comes from the market to clean it, as

FEEDING ON THE FAT OF THE LAND.

M. A. Chancey, traveling salesman for the Ramsey Nursery Co. of Austin, Texas, says the farmers are feasting him on all kinds of good things now wherever he goes, and as an evidence to substantiate the statement he brought to this office some of the choicest products of the farmer's toil. Among an assortment of roasting ears from the farms of Messrs. Geo. and Ed. Bader was an ear with 14 rows of grains and 63 grains to the row. You can figure out for yourself how big the ear was. It measured eleven and a half inches in length and even a literary editor would be unable to eat more than a dozen of the kind in a single feed. There were onions so big that "they are only good to give away," as dealers will not buy them on account of over-size. And there was a cucumber from the Henry Massmann farm of very similar proportions. They do not feed Mr. Chancey on grain sorghum, but as an evidence of what the country has in the way of grain sorghum crops he brought several heads of these and among them were two mature heads of Hegairia said to be the second crop already from this season's planting.

According to Mr. Chancey, who travels extensively among the farmers, they are sitting pretty and feasting on the fat of the land. A cheerful, hopeful, forward-looking spirit prevails among them, and many are giving him orders for fruit trees preparatory to planting orchards the coming fall and winter.

REAL ESTATE TRANSFERS.

The following real estate transfers have been entered of record since our last report:

Robert Belzung and wife, Elenora Belzung, to Frank Tondre, warranty deed to Lots Nos. 3, 4, 5, 6, 7 in Block No. 5, Range No. 1, and Lots 3 and 4 in Block No. 5, and Range No. 12, with all improvements thereon. Consideration, \$240.00.

Heirs of Jno. Frerichs to Andrew G. Bless, warranty deed to Lot No. Two in Block No. 39. Consideration, \$300.00.

Adolph and Ida Ahr to Joe L. Tachirhart, warranty deed to Lots Nos. 1, 2, 3, 4 and 5 in Block No. 1 and range No. 8. Consideration, \$60.00.

Beta C. Duncan and wife to Levy E. Bernal, warranty deed with vendor's lien to, First Tract: One hundred and four acres of land in Medina County, Texas, out of and part of E. M. Pittman Survey No. 1101, Certificate No. 1587, patented to Elijah Iles, Second Tract: One hundred and four acres of land out of and a part of the said H. M. Pittman Survey No. 1101, Certificate No. 1587, patented to Elijah Iles, Third Tract: One hundred and four acres of land in the Counties of El Paso and Medina, State of Texas, out of and a part of the H. M. Pittman Survey No. 1101, Cert. No. 1587, patented to Elijah Iles. Consideration, \$6240.00, paid and secured to be paid.

EXECUTIVE COMMITTEE

Pursuant to call the County Chairman, D. H. Fly, the County Democratic Executive Committee convened here at 2 o'clock Monday afternoon to arrange the ballot for the July primary.

The meeting was mostly a proxy affair, as only Wm. F. Naegelin of Castroville was present out of the precinct chairmen. It, therefore, fell to his and County Chairman Fly's lot to do all the work incumbent upon the committee at this time.

The position on the ballot of the various candidates for the contested offices were determined by lot, as provided by law, and arrangements were made for the supplying of the ballots, necessary blanks, etc. for holding both primaries. The holding of the elections will be a work of patriotism and party loyalty again, as the Committee has no funds to pay for holding the elections.

There is a contest in both the races for Congressman and Legislator, Judge Garner being opposed by Sid Hardin of Mission and Representative A. J. Durham being opposed by J. E. Harris of Comita. The present incumbents of the District Judge's and the District Attorney's offices are unopposed. There are no county candidates and only one precinct, Devine, has any precinct candidates seeking the Democratic nomination.

The cotton crop is growing and fruiting nicely on most farms. Some complaints are heard about boll weevils and cotton fleas but so far their damage has been light. Some farmers are keeping them in check by poisoning with arsenate of lead.

LODGE OFFICERS INSTALLED.

At a special called meeting Thursday night, June 24th, of both the local Masonic Lodges the officers for the ensuing Masonic year were installed as follows:

Hondo Chapter 350, Royal Arch Masons:
T. C. Barnes, High Priest.
H. H. Crow, King.
Will Muennink, Scribe.
Horace Bradley, Treasurer.
H. E. Haass, Secretary.
W. N. Saathoff, Captain of the Host.

O. E. Lacy, Principal Sojourner.
O. B. Taylor, Royal Arch Captain.
Elmer Leinweber, Master of the First Veil.

Garland Martin, Master of the Second Veil.

Felix Batot, Master of the Third Veil.

H. G. Bulgerin, Guard.
Hondo City Lodge No. 756, Ancient, Free and Accepted Masons:

O. H. Fy, Worshipful Master.
Earl Starnes, Senior Warden.
Barnitz Carle, Junior Warden.
J. R. Chancey, Treasurer.
W. N. Saathoff, Secretary.
Elmer Leinweber, Senior Deacon.
Clyde Holloway, Junior Deacon.
Will Muennink and C. J. Monkhouse, Stewards.

V. A. Crow, Tiler.
Both the Blue Lodge and the Chapter are enjoying a substantial and continued growth in membership.

MEDINA HEREFORD SHORT COURSE.

Three or four hundred boys and girls are expected to attend the South Texas Short Course and Encampment of the Medina Hereford Ranch in Bexar County July 14-15-16th. Parents need have no hesitation in permitting their children to take this Encampment in, as the girls will be carefully chaperoned by Miss Atee Smith of A. & M. College, and the boys supervised by S. C. Evans, State Boy Club Leader of A. & M. College.

In addition to games, swimming and moving pictures, boys and girls will have special courses in agriculture and home making given by A. & M. College Specialists, this work taking from four to five hours each day.

Not only will the juniors find plenty to keep them busy, but the older folks, too, will find the program arranged for them is very complete, with courses offered in practically every branch of agriculture, stock raising and home keeping.

People planning to attend should bear in mind that this is an encampment, and should come prepared to cook their own meals and sleep in the open. Staple supplies will be sold at nominal prices on the ground.

The detailed programs are now in the hands of the county and home demonstration agents where those interested may learn all details.

THE WAY IS PAVED.

CONTINUOUS FLOW—DRY CLEANING SYSTEM INSTALLED. Continuous flow meaning clean, clear, sweet odorless cleansing naptha constantly flowing through your garments. Continuous flow is to your interest. It adds life and that newness effect to your garments, prevents deterioration, cheats the moths and, at small cost, insures presentable garments when winter rolls around again.

Moths will not find a place to stay. If clothes are cleaned before pitting away.

Learn the Continuous Flow way. EXTRA SPECIAL FOR TEN DAYS. Special prices for cleaned only (not pressed) winter garments for packing away. The prices are really attractive. Time limited to July 7th.

JENNINGS, TAILORS, CLEANERS.

BAPTIST W. M. S.

Mrs. Jack Fusselman was hostess to the W. M. S. Thursday, June 17. There were fifteen members and visitors present. Mrs. W. C. Brown was leader for the afternoon, "The North American Indian" being the subject of discussion. We took up the life of the Indian from the time he was discovered in America and followed his trail through the war path to the cross-roads where he began to look upon the white man as his friend and realize that Divine love could live in and rule the Indian heart and teach him to become a worthy citizen of this country.

Two inspiring features of the program was a song composed by an old Indian chief sung by Billie Fusselman and the little Indian girl's program given by Virginia Fusselman.

The members and guests were then treated to delicious home-made ice cream and cake.

Miss Lucille Ferguson of San Antonio is the guest of Miss Mary Crouch.

THE REVIVAL AT THE BAPTIST CHURCH.

This meeting began last Sunday as formerly announced. The interest has been increasing and the congregations growing each day and the outlook for a great revival is very encouraging. We are having fine music, both instrumental and vocal. Bro. O'Hair is a great director of song and has organized two splendid choirs that are giving us delightful music. He is giving us songs that are proving to be very enjoyable and uplifting to the spiritual life.

Bro. Harbin, the evangelist, is delivering great gospel messages that ought to be heard by our entire citizenship. Bro. Harbin is a preacher of splendid ability and Hondo is indeed fortunate in having him and Bro. O'Hair as our helpers in this meeting. Come and hear them and enjoy the spiritual uplift that their services are offering us.

There were four who made public profession of faith in Christ at the Wednesday evening service and we are expecting conversions right along during the meeting.

W. C. BROWN, Pastor.

GEORGE LOESSBERG DIES.

George Loessberg, 66, retired farmer, died in a San Antonio hospital Thursday afternoon. He was a native of LaCoste and came to this city 11 days ago for medical treatment. He leaves his widow, Mrs. Anna Loessberg; three daughters, Mrs. Charles Halty, Mrs. A. L. Kriewald, of LaCoste, Mrs. Fred List of San Antonio; two sisters, Mrs. John Reus, Mrs. Gus Koenig of LaCoste, and eight grandchildren. Funeral services will be held at LaCoste Saturday afternoon, with Rev. Walter Kralick of the Castroville Lutheran Church officiating.—Friday's Express.

J. S. Milburn was here yesterday arranging for a speaking date for Hon. Whit Davidson for Hondo at 10 o'clock next Friday, July 2nd. Mr. Davidson will speak in the interest of Hon. Lynch Davidson's candidacy for governor. See display announcement elsewhere.

A FINE LEGAL POINT.

Judge L. J. Brucks has set next Tuesday morning at 10 o'clock for hearing a petition for an injunction. The Democratic Executive Committee of Uvalde County passed a resolution barring those who voted for Butte two years ago from participating in the Democratic primaries July 24th.

Will A. Morris, a San Antonio lawyer, acting for Dolph Briscoe of Uvalde, is asking for an injunction restraining the Committee from enforcing this rule. The question the court will have to decide is whether the Committee is within its legal rights in prescribing such a rule.

The question is a very important one, and there are possibilities of the decision being far-reaching in its effects upon the primary election law.

Mr. and Mrs. Jim Heath and Miss Ramona Bailey have gone to Corpus Christi for a visit with Mr. and Mrs. T. L. Miller and children.

Hay Wire, Holloway Bros.

THE OPEN ROAD.

You know that you are deficient in knowledge of many things which you should know to be considered intelligent.

Year after year you put off from time to time the set period you think you must have to learn more of these subjects and you still continue to put off.

One night a week devoted to your particular study would accomplish so much.

Self denial will enter in. Perhaps there will be a big party the very first or second evening you set to begin the mastery of your study.

What will you do—postpone the study again?

What are you in earnest about, study or personal pleasure?

You may find kind friends to help you put it through if it becomes known that you are willing to sacrifice a personal good time for work.

But do not blame your kind friends for deserting you and your cause if you are found wanting on account of too much devotion on your part to a "good time."

And if you knew that a very much more lucrative job were at the end of the road after you have acquired this additional knowledge would you not be more than ever anxious to pursue the subject?

It requires regular and systematic study and a serious mind concentrated on the thing in hand. Can you qualify?—Houston Chronicle.

FORTY-TWO CLUB.

The ladies of the "42" club were delightfully entertained Thursday afternoon with Mrs. O. H. Miller, Mrs. Garland Martin and Mrs. Fletcher Davis as hostesses.

Unique hand-painted tallies in sunflower design were drawn by the thirty-four players and after sixteen interesting games, Mrs. Ed. Cameron held high score of 13 games. Some fifteen 84 bids were made and trophies for these were "lolly-pop" sunflowers.

After the games the guests assembled at the "Parkers" where baskets of sun-flowers placed at vantage points, table adornments of yellow and green, plate lunches of sunflower salad, potato chips, tongue sandwiches and limeade completed the chosen color scheme.

The following were present: Mesdames Felix Batot, Aug Schroeder, Ed. Cameron, Barnitz Carle, Roy Nixon, Jack Forgason, George Hodges and Floyd Griffith of Dallas, E. J. Murray, Joe R. Monkhouse, Mimie Muennink, Elmer Leinweber, H. E. Taylor, L. E. Heath, F. S. Cockrel, Earl Starnes, Horace Bradley, Robert Decker, Felix Richter, C. J. Monkhouse, Dr. Jackson, R. J. Noonan, Oscar Schuehle, F. H. Schweers, Misses Octavia Davis, Mary Newberry and Buchard of Gonzales, Lorraine Heath, Josephine Brucks, Clara Decker, Lucille de Montel and the hostesses.

The next hostesses will be Mrs. P. Jungman, Mrs. R. J. Noonan and Miss Lucille de Montel.

ATTEND SCOUT MEETING.

Dr. T. B. Knopp, Wm. Windrow, Orceuth Fly and Mr. Webb went to Uvalde Tuesday to attend the meeting of the Boy Scouts organization for the Southwest Texas Area.

The organization elected George E. Love of Del Rio as President and Dr. Knopp of this place was elected First Vice-President. Rev. J. C. Campbell of Uvalde was made temporary Scout Executive, and Uvalde was selected as permanent headquarters and Devils River the permanent camp site.

NOTICE, ADVERTISERS AND CONTRIBUTORS.

We want to lock our forms at noon Friday. We have to do this to get the paper into the mails on time. You will greatly assist us by getting your copy in at the earliest possible moment. By all means, have it in our hands not later than Thursday afternoon. By taking due notice of this and acting accordingly you will confer a great favor on us and avoid disappointment for yourself. The Publisher.

NICE RESIDENCE FOR SALE.

A nice five-room cottage with bathroom and two nice galleries, small barn, good well with windmill and tank, located on half acre of ground in the northeast part of town, for sale at the bargain price of \$1,900.00 on reasonable terms. Ask Fletcher Davis, Manager Hondo Land C. Agent. 37-4f.

Miss Mildred McMurray returned to San Antonio Monday after a several weeks visit with Miss Pauline Murray.

Mrs. Geo. Schweers spent last week-end in San Antonio with her sister, Mrs. Arnold Rothe.

ANNOUNCING NEW LOW PRICES ON ALL FORD CARS

Beginning June 19th, the following new prices are effective f. o. b. factory:

ROADSTER \$360

TOURING \$380

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TUDOR \$495

FORDOR \$545

TRUCK CHASSIS \$325

BALLOON TIRES IN FRONT.

THESE PRICES ARE APPROXIMATELY A REDUCTION OF \$45.00 ON ALL FORD MODELS.

All Fords are now equipped with starters and balloon tires as standard equipment.

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CARD OF THANKS.

We wish, in this way, to express our gratitude and heartfelt thanks to all our friends who assisted us during the illness of our little boy, whom God in his providence has removed from earth to heaven. Also to express our appreciation for the beautiful floral offerings provided by loving hands. We can never forget your acts and words of sympathy during the great trial through which we were called to pass. May our heavenly Father bless every one of you is our prayer.

MR. AND MRS. J. L. MOORE.

Mr. and Mrs. Albert Beitel and Miss Katherine Whiteman of San Antonio were the guests of Mr. and Mrs. Aug. Schroeder Sunday.

EXTRA ADDED TO OUR PICTURE.

"DIXIE MERCHANT" FOR MONDAY NIGHT ONLY, JUNE 23, JIMMIE BROWN, INTERNATIONAL BANJO KING WHOM YOU HAVE HEARD OVER RADIO WEAY, KFAD AND KFI FROM COAST TO COAST, WILL BE HERE IN PERSON MONDAY NIGHT ONLY AS AN ADDED ATTRACTION. HE PLAYS EVERYTHING ON BANJO FROM RABBIT HASH TO OPERA. NO EXTRA CHARGE. BRING OUT THE WHOLE FAMILY. THE COLONIAL. 48-1f

Mr. and Mrs. Alfred Schweers returned Wednesday from a visit with Mrs. Schweers' relatives at Houston and Galveston. They report a pleasant trip. The best crops seen were at Seguin and in Medina Co.

UVALDE JUDGE MARRIES.

PEARSALL, Tex., June 24.—J. B. Finley Jr., county judge of Uvalde County, and Miss Mary Horaby, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Harry Hornby of Uvalde, were married at the residence of Mr. and Mrs. Frank Carter Wednesday afternoon, June 23, Rev. I. S. Davenport reading the impressive marriage service. They will make their home at Uvalde.—Friday's Express.

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